

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF OREGON

BILL O. HUFF,

CV 04-6297-JE

Plaintiff,

ORDER

v.

JO ANNE B. BARNHART,  
Commissioner, Social Security  
Administration,

Defendant.

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**BROWN, Judge.**

Magistrate Judge John Jelderks issued Findings and Recommendation (#15) on June 24, 2005, in which he recommended this Court affirm the Commissioner's decision. The matter is now before this Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(B) and Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b).

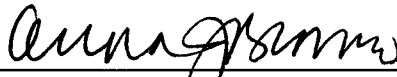
Because no objections to the Magistrate Judge's Findings and Recommendation were timely filed, this Court is relieved of its obligation to review the record *de novo*. *Britt v. Simi Valley Unified School Dist.*, 708 F.2d 452, 454 (9<sup>th</sup> Cir. 1983). See also *Lorin Corp. v. Goto & Co.*, 700 F.2d 1202, 1206 (8<sup>th</sup> Cir. 1983). Having reviewed the legal principles *de novo*, the Court does not find any error.

**CONCLUSION**

The Court **ADOPTS** Magistrate Judge Hubel's Findings and Recommendation (#15). Accordingly, the Court **AFFIRMS** the Commissioner's decision and **DISMISSES** this action **with prejudice**.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED this 29<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2005.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Anna J. Brown", is written over a horizontal line.

ANNA J. BROWN  
United States District Judge